To the Honorable H. A. W. Skeen, Judge of the Circuit Court for Lee County:

Humbly complaining your orators W. S. Wampler and J. B. Adams, would respectfully represent and show unto your honor that they are the owners of 8/9 of a tract of land situated in Lee County, Virginia, which they acquired under two deeds, one of which is dated the 14th day of June, 1907, from Lettie Shuffle barger and others, which deed is recorded in deed book 46 page 497, and herewith filed as part of this bill as exhibit No. "1". And the other deed is dated the 4th day of June, 1907, signed by J. M. Bailey and others, and is recorded in deed book No. 46 page 496, and is hewewith filed as part of this bill marked as exhibit No. "2", which said tract of land is said to contain 47 acres, be the same more or less, and from which said deeds as aforesaid, it will be seen that your orators have the title to 8/9 of the whole.

Your orators would further represent and show unto your honor that one John T. Shuler is the owner of the other 1/9 interest in said tract of land, he having purchased the same from _____ _____, one of the grand-children of Carr Bailey, formerly owner of the said tract of land. Your orators are informed that the said tract of land is susceptible of partition in kind, and the prayer therefore of your orator is that the said tract of land be partitioned so that 8/9 of said tract of land may be assigned to your orators, and one-ninth to the said John T. Shuler, and for this purpose your orators pray that the said John T. Shuler be made parties defendant to this bill of comp plaint, and be required to answer the same, but not under oath, answer under oath being expressly waived; that the said Jon T. Shuler be required to file with his answer hereto, the deed under which he claims title to the said tract of land, that Commissioners be appointed to partition said tract of land and report to court their action; and your orators further pray that

in case said Commissioners are unable to partition said tract of land, and it is impracticable to partition the same, then that the whole of said tract be sold and the proceeds of the sale divided according to the interest of the several parties hereto, and may all other further and general relief be granted your orators that the nature of their cause and good conscience requires, And they will ever pray &c.

Pennington Bros P.Q.

Adams & Worsham

vs } Bill In Chancery

John T. Shuler

Pennington Bros.
ATTORNEYS AT LAW.
JONESVILLE AND PENNINGTON GAP VA.

The Commonwealth of Virginia,

again

To the Sheriff of the County of Lee Greeting:

WE COMMAND YOU, That you summon John Shuler

to appear at the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of the County of Lee, at rules to be held for the said court, on the 1st Monday in April, 1908, to answer a bill in chancery exhibited against him by J. B. Adams & M. S. Wamples,

And have then there this writ. Witness, H. C. T. EWING, Clerk of our said Court, at the court-house, the 2nd day of April, 1908, and 132nd year of the Commonwealth.

A Copy, Teste:

H. C. T. Ewing Clerk

_____, Clerk

J. B. Adams, et al

VS { SUBPŒNA IN CHANCERY

John Shuler

Pen. Proy p. q.

To 1st April Rules

Lee Circuit Court

1908

Executed by a Copy of the within on John Shular This April the 6th 1908

W. J. Tucker S. L. C.

Costs:

Clerk $4.07
Sheriff .50
Atty. 15.00
$19.57

Dismissed at Rules

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